

Comniander-in-Chief during a battle, and asked how the affa ended. He then handed to me a eopy of the Order of the Da which Napoleon said he had sent only to the Marshals coi mantling the different corps. As this remarkable document but little known I may subjoin it here.

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IMPERIAL CAMP OF SCIKKNUHUNN, *Oth July*,
IBtHl His Majesty expresses his displeasure at the PriiuM* of I*onte-('orvo Order, dated Lcopoldstadt, 7th July, and inserted on the same day ; nearly all the newspapers, in the following terms:—

*SS^fauron», on the 5M of July 7iHM) or K*KK) of you pierced the enemy centre, ttnd marched on Drutwh- Wat/rani In «/»/*• of the effort* <>/'40,(K wen xui>port.ed by M itit'eett of artillery. You font/fit tili midnyht, ati hirmiucked in the ntidx of the Austrian Unfit. On tht^t OM, nt dayhrettt you rer.oiuncnced the battle with the name /jr/wrm/wc, and* in tl tntdtit of the. Tdtwtjett of the ewntifx <trt liter it , your cnlmnnn ittood Jinn t iron. The yrt'at NuiwleoH wUnenned your t'otirttyt\ <uid reekoiw yt, among hix brur-ext troopx. »SVj.ronH, (he fortune of a wddier ewiHwtM i fulfilling hi* duty ; you hate nobly fulfilled your*!

Ind«*p«»nd«»ntly of Ills Majesty having ronuuaiHlecl JiU anny hi JHTKIH It Is for him alont» to award th« degree of glory eaeh haN merited. H Mftjenty OWI«K th** BUC*»«HH of his arms to tlu* Fri*n<*h troops, ntul to il forelguern. The Prhu'j* of l*ont«*.(orvo'H Onler of th«« Day has a t«*i dency to inspire fal«c pri't^nsionM in troopn %vho»e merit «!O'H not ri? al>ovit medHM-rity: It, Is at variance with truth, po!!i*y, and national houo, The ftucccsK of tlw* 5th Is <lm* to tli«* Due d«i Hivoli ant) Marshal Oadino' who penetrated th« «nftny'it <M>ntr« at tin* imm«* time that the Due d'Atii*, Ktaclt's corps turned hin l«ft. Tli« vlllagi! of Di'iitsc'li-Wiigrmm wan n< taken on the 5th, but on the ttth, by Un» rorpn of Marshal Otutinot. Tli «'orp« of tint 'Prinri* of l'ontM'orvo did not utiind *mjrm* MM *Iron*. It wn ili«» first to retreat. Hli» Majesty wan ohllgi«l to order th«» twpn of tli Viceroy to ba covenni by the tlivinionH of Hrotrnnlttr and Laiunnjw, («on niindcd. by Marnhal Ma**dontUd, by tin? <livislon of heavy iravalry, eow miutded by (teiu«»l Naiiftouty, und by a l*art of tin* cavalry of the* <totm: To Marshal Maorionahl and *hin* troopn is dim the. tni«rit which the Priur of I>onte.-(-orvo takes tc» himwOf. His Majimty *lm\nm* that thin exprewlo¹ of bis displeamtre will henceforth d^tor any MarHiial from appropriatitt to hhntwlf tli« flory which b«*loug» to orhi»r«. !I1« Maj<*ttty, bow«*y*i dt*»ires that the |>r«.»<iit Oniur of th« Day, which may imfttlbiy *Im* inoriifj